REMARKS

Claims 1-17 are pending in the present application.

The Examiner has required election in the present application between:

Group 1, claims 1-10, drawn to an apparatus for conducting a test by pressing input/output terminals of electronic devices to be tested against contact portions of a test head using a moving means while holding electronic devices to be tested on an electronic device conveying medium, classified in class 324, subclass 754; and

Group 2, claims 11-17, drawn to a method of testing an electronic device, classified in class 324, subclass 158.1.

For the purpose of examination of the present application, Applicants elect, with traverse, Group 1, Claims 1-10.

It is submitted that it should be no undue burden on the Examiner to consider all claims in a single application. Thus, reconsideration of this requirement is requested.

Should there be any outstanding matters that need to be resolved in the present application, the Examiner is respectfully requested to contact Joe McKinney Muncy, Registration No 32,334 at the telephone number of the undersigned below, to conduct an interview in an effort to expedite prosecution in connection with the present application.

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Attached is a Petition for Extension of Time.

Attached hereto is the fee transmittal listing the required fees.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or under § 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

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Respectfully submitted,

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